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SDPD RELEASES STATISTICS FROM JULY 4TH HOLIDAY

(San Diego) City officials estimate that approximately 1 million people visited San Diego's beach and bay park areas during the four-day holiday event. The statistics below cover the period from 6 a.m. Thursday, July 3 to 3 a.m. Monday, July 7, 2008.

NORTHERN DIVISION BEACHES

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2004</u>
Felony arrests	10	23	21	22	33
Misdemeanor arrests (jail)	56	145	79	43	94
Misdemeanor arrests (citations)	404	799 ¹	795 ¹	1294	1131
Detentions (drunk in public to Detox)	33	112	94	79	0 ³
Field interviews	249	302	337	193	257
Traffic citations	234	600	760	923	523
Parking citations	326	1669	494 ²	616	1066
Vehicle impounds	40	98	84	106	68
TOTALS:	1352	3748	2577	3276	3172

WESTERN DIVISION BEACHES

	<u>2008</u>	<u>2007⁴</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2005</u>	<u>2004</u>
Felony arrests	11	0	6	6	7
Misdemeanor arrests (jail)	9	3 ³	22	41	17
Misdemeanor arrests (citations)	48	15	80	124	240
Detentions (drunk in public to Detox)	7	12	8	19	N/A
Field interviews	43	14	137	105	33
Traffic citations	24	0	36	98	11
Parking citations	95	15	78	83	29
Vehicle impounds	0	0	2	11	2
TOTALS:	237	59	369	487	339

¹Includes 51/76 (respectively) juveniles in possession of alcohol

²Parking Enforcement Officer citations not included

³In 2004, detox detentions were combined with misdemeanor arrests (jail)

⁴Western Division totals are for July 4, 2007 only

⁵Includes 3 juveniles in possession of alcohol

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